

## M322 Alterations to 27 Gordon Street

### Introduction

Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh designed shop fittings for outfitters Grant & Watson, at what appear to have been new or additional premises. <sup>1</sup>

**Authorship:** This is one of over 270 jobs carried out in the office of John Honeyman & Keppie (Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh from 1901) during Mackintosh's time there. Mackintosh undoubtedly worked on many of these, but there is no specific evidence for his involvement in this case.

**Cost from job book:** £140 0s 0d

**Status:** Standing building

**Current use:** Retail and offices (2014)

**Listing category:** B: Listed as '23–7 (odd nos) Gordon Street and 96–100 (even nos) Mitchell Street'

**Historic Scotland/HB Number:** 33027

**RCAHMS Site Number:** NS56NE 417

**Grid reference:** NS 58941 65305

### Chronology

#### 1912

31 May: Contractor tender accepted. <sup>1</sup>

14 August: Contractor paid. <sup>2</sup>

### Description

### People

#### Clients:

- J. Rankine Andrew of Grant & Watson

#### Contractors:

- Robert Templeton & Co.

### Job Book

The job books of Honeyman & Keppie (later Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh) are now held by The Hunterian, University of Glasgow and include four volumes related to the Mackintosh period. The books were used by the firm to keep a project-by-project, day-by-day record of contractors, suppliers and expenditure. The name of a project and/or client is usually at the top of the left-hand page, followed by information about tradesmen who tendered. The name of the measurer (quantity surveyor) is usually at the top of the right-hand page, followed by information about payments to contractors and suppliers. All of the data for M322 is entered in the tables below.

Page numbering is not consistent in the job books. Sometimes a single number refers to a double-page spread and sometimes each page is individually numbered. Here, each image of a double-page spread is identified by the number given at the top of the left-hand page. (Images of all of the pages from the four job books can be found at [Browse Job Books](#), [Visit Book and Cash Book](#).)

The following information about M322 has been extracted from the job books:



Job book: 53063  
Page: 70



Job book: 53063  
Page: 78

**Client:** J. Rankine Andrew of Grant & Watson

**Tenders:**

Contractor	Type	Address	Date	Value	Accepted
Robert Templeton & Co.	shop fitting	no data in job book	no data in job book	£140 0s 0d	yes (31 May 1912)

**Payments (trades):**

Name	Type	Payment out sum
Robert Templeton & Co.	shop fitting	<b>Payment date:</b> 14 August 1912 £140 0s 0d

## Documents

## Images

## Bibliography

Notes:

- 1: In 1911–12, Grant & Watson are located at 60 St Vincent Street: *Glasgow Post Office Directory*, 1911–12, p. 294.
- 2: The Hunterian, University of Glasgow: Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh job book, GLAHA 53063, p. 70.
- 3: The Hunterian, University of Glasgow: Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh job book, GLAHA 53063, p. 78.

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